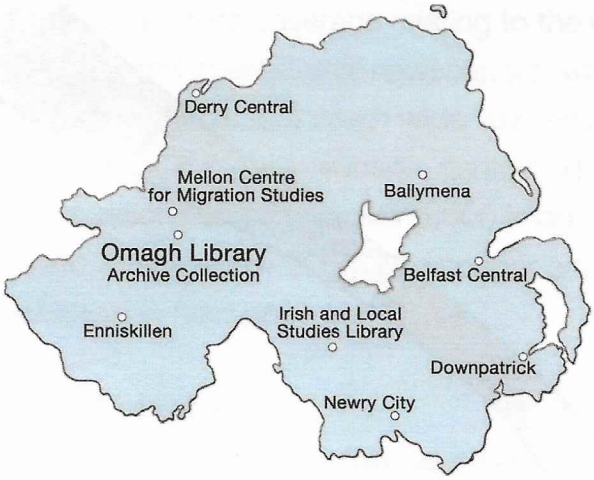
The Omagh Bomb Archive

On the afternoon of Saturday 15 August 1998, at approximately 3:10pm a car bomb exploded in Market Street, Omagh, killing 29 people and two unborn children, as well as injuring some 370 people. It remains the largest loss of life of any single incident in the history of the Northern Ireland Troubles.



Heritage libraries in Libraries NI

The Archive collection is housed in Omagh Library, at 1 Spillars Place, Omagh.

Development of the Archive

Since 1998 library staff collected and collated information relating to the tragic events of August 1998 and its aftermath with a view to creating an archive. Omagh Support & Self Help Group (OSSHG) also collected relevant material.